

# YES Interagency Government Team Monthly Report

Group: YES Communications Strategic Planning Workgroup

Date: November 2022

Baseline Report Date: August 2020

## Current Tasks and Deadlines/Target Dates:

(Highlights are updates)

- Collaborate with the Division of Behavioral Health on a series of communications about HB 233 (I.C. 16-2426A) to aid families and hospital staff in understanding the process and options they have with state supports leading up to and after discharge from a hospital or residential placement. The communications will also discuss the role of the Quick Reaction Team in helping families during and after the discharge process, address frequently asked questions, and provide important contacts for families.
  - The QRT has completed review and the document is pending several legal definitions and clarifications before finalization.
  - The final step is anticipated to be review by the DHW Public Information Office
- Review of Medicaid updates to Liberty Documents and Contact information
  - Two documents have been finalized and approved, and posted to the YES website:
    - [Maintaining Eligibility for Medicaid's YES Program](#)
    - [Next Steps After Independent Assessment](#)

## Describe Any Barriers/Roadblocks:

N/A

## Requests & Updates

- The YES Communications Strategic Planning Workgroup is working to build a list of communications that may have been identified as needs by other workgroups or subcommittees. If you have any external communication needs for public audiences, please e-mail Jon Meyer, [Jonathan.Meyer@dhw.idaho.gov](mailto:Jonathan.Meyer@dhw.idaho.gov) so the workgroup can add it to their list and work to prioritize upcoming communication development.

## Describe Resources That Are Needed to Meet Timeline:

- Use of DBH administrative support for meetings, and other staffing resources as identified for Specific Communication Teams.

Additional Information the IGT Needs To Know: (anecdotal, relevant input, news, etc.)